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RESULTS OF WOMEN'S CLUB

The results of the games played by the Women's Curling Club played are as follows:

Mrs. Jones won over Mrs. Allan; Mrs. Denbigh defeated Mrs. Walker; Miss Davis walloped Mrs. Whicher; Mrs. Howes downed Mrs. Grant; Mrs. Walker went down to defeat the second time before Mrs. Dodds; Miss Davis scored a second win, this time over Mrs. Torgerson; Mrs. Lebow met disaster at the hands of Mrs. Hall; Mrs. Whicher lost her second game of the week to Mrs. Jones; Mrs. Denbigh won her second game against Mrs. Howes; Mrs. Dodds bowed to Mrs. Grant; Mrs. Lebow secured another defeat at the hands of Mrs. Allan; Mrs. Hall won her second game at the expense of Mrs. Ferguson; Mr. Grant walked on Mrs. Walker and turned about and gave her next game to Mrs. Hall. Mrs. Ferguson handed the game to Mrs. Dodds; Mrs. Jones exhibited too much class for Mrs. Howes and Mrs. Torgerson snatched victory from Mrs. Lebow.

MUSICAL RECITAL

Mrs. Embree announces a pupils' recital in piano and elocution on Monday evening, February 16, at eight o'clock, in the Vulcan church. Admission will be twenty-five cents. The following pupils will take part:

Vulcan—Misses Trail, Ferngren, Walker, Dewie, Scaman, Marion and Mamie Lebow, Edith and Ruth Rolston and Master Harry Rolston.

Bliekie—Misses Morrow, Robeck, Pope and Masters John Trotter and Kenneth Roberts.

Champion—Misses Watkins, Johnson and Waynard.

In the afternoon of the 16th, the pupils that are playing at the evening recital will play before two musicians from Calgary for prizes. The prizes will be awarded at the recital during the week ending January 31.

VULCAN LOCALS

The volume of Symington's business enables him to cut prices. Read his Ad each week.

The shareholders of the Vulcan Co-operative Company held their annual meeting in the I.O.O.F. Hall last Thursday afternoon. There was the average turnout to such a meeting and the following directors were elected: O. U. McPherson, L. F. Dawson, D. L. Doane, J. G. Dowe, J. B. Munson, George Galbraith, A. G. Dickenson, John H. Williams of Calgary, was appointed auditor.

Galt Lump Coal \$5.50 and Galt Nut Coal \$5.50 per ton. Bankhead Hard Coal at Terwilliger's Elevator.

Nineteen acres on the Tilley farm of the C.P.R. yielded twenty thousand bushels of sweet clover seed. The value of this crop as fodder is bringing it more and more into prominence and there is a big demand for seed. The market value of the seed threshed off this nineteen acres is \$6,400.

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Harry Noel Relinquishes Hotel Management

Is Presented With a Diamond Stick-Pin by Farmers of the District as a Token of Their Appreciation for Service He Has Rendered Them. Will Remain in District.

Saturday saw the termination of Harry Noel's management of the Imperial hotel and many a farmer throughout the district is sore put to it to find words to express his regret. As a token of appreciation of his service to them, which has been diverse and widespread during the last six years, the farmers of the district presented him with a diamond stick pin. Mr. George Eckart took up the collection for the gift, allowing no one out farmers to contribute and no one more than one dollar. W. E. Butchart acted as spokesman at the presentation.

Nowhere in the district is there a man more widely and warmly known than Harry. We refuse to use the word "Mister" in speaking of him. It would be a sacrilege, for although none would presume a cheap familiarity, yet few would forego the privilege of saying "Hello, Harry," for the more formal style of "Hello, Mr. Noel." Somehow that "Mr." doesn't fit. One can't mister a man who takes one's interest to heart; who performs the hundred and one little favors that make life worth the living and performs them with a willingness and apparent gladness that touches the warm spots of the heart; who is always ready with a consoling word or gloom-dispelling josh at the proper moment. It simply isn't done, and further than that we imagine Harry himself would resent such formality. In days past when a man blew into town and wanted a job he was direct-

ed to Harry Noel and he generally got one if the man was opening with a twenty dollar bill. If a farmer wanted a man to do a job, he got one if the man was an idle hand in the district. If something of interest to the farmers was to occur in town and had not been adequately announced, Harry saw to it that the farmers were notified and got them in. If a farmer ordered a piece of machinery, and it came sooner than expected, Harry was on the job, paid the C.O.D. and hustled it out to the owner. He inaugurated the cheque cashing system for the convenience of those farmers who came to town too late to get into the bank. In short it would be an endless tale to chronicle the many ways Harry Noel has helped keep the wheels of the district moving by faithfully serving the people day in and day out.

So it is small wonder the farmers regretfully view his decision to leave the hotel. However, there is some consolation to be derived from the fact that he will remain in the district to look after his interest in 750 acres of crop that he will help to put in this year.

So here's hoping he will be as successful a farmer as a hotel man. Incidentally it might be stated that Harry has received several alluring offers to manage hotels in various parts of the province, but he has refused each in turn, and some of them several times, claiming he will stand or fall with Vulcan.

VULCAN NEWS ITEMS

Mr. William Clappison, of Roseburg, is visiting with his mother for a few days.

Mrs. R. L. Elves, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jarrett, at Medicine Hat, for the past two weeks, returned on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Clark and two children, who have been visiting Mrs. Clark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forrester, returned to their home in Lake City, Iowa, on Tuesday.

While playing at noon hour outside the school, little Dorothy Martin had the misfortune to have her right arm fractured at the joint. The unfortunate girl was immediately taken to Dr. G. M. Carson who set the bone and now the little sufferer is doing well.

It pays to patronize Buckler. He is back in our columns again.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hudson of Vulcan, an eight pound boy, on February 1, at the Maternity Hospital.

The Women's Institute will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. Howes at 3 p.m. Nurse Jean Morton will read a paper on "Home Nursing."

Mr. George W. Buck returned from his eastern trip Saturday. He reports that on the whole, business in the east is in a good healthy condition. He purchased several thousand dollars worth of goods, consignments of which will shortly arrive to be placed on sale. Watch his ad for developments.

Captain Iolett, of Calgary, was a visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Marshall from Wednesday until Monday.

Mrs. William Hay, who is recovering from an operation for gall stone, returned to Vulcan on Tuesday. The operation was quite successful.

80 tons of green oat feed and 1919 oat straw with 160 acres to run on until May 1, 8 miles north of Vulcan, for sale at \$800. See owner, C. B. Shimp.

On another page you will find the prize list of the Poultry Show to be held in the I.O.O.F. Hall, February 12th, under the auspices of the Vulcan District Poultry and Pet Stock Association. Look it over. It may prove profitable to you in some way.

Quaker Flour at \$6.25, Bran, Shorts, Oat Chop, Oats, Barley and Hay at Terwilliger's Elevator.

The newly organized Women's Auxiliary of the Church of England will hold a sale of home-made cooking-pastry, pies, etc., in the near future. Further information will be given in these columns at a later date.

Green oat sheaves for sale. Lots of oats in them. 4 miles out. See sample at office. Will reserve same in field till April 15th on payment of \$5.00 per ton down.—C. B. Shimp.

Do you know what W. D. Allen handles? Become acquainted with his stock by reading his advertisement each week. You'll benefit by his special.

There's going to be something doing shortly and I want your mail listings.—C. B. Shimp.

THE WEEK'S EVENTS

Whist Party

Last week was one of the liveliest the village has seen in some time. On Tuesday evening the Samaritans held an entertaining whist party and informal dance. These affairs are becoming a popular pastime.

U. F. A. Meeting

Wednesday afternoon the U.F.A. held a meeting at which the delegates to the Calgary convention made their reports, and the tone of that meeting was a queer medley, to use the best expression we can think of. Because of the peculiar position this paper occupies we cannot adequately voice our views nor air our opinions in this connection as it would be charged by outside districts that we were mouthing expressions instigated by Mr. O. L. McPherson, the routed political leader of the U.F.A. Further, our local is considered an insurgent by other locals who are totally or partially hypnotized by the suave diplomacy and the magnetic persuasiveness of H. W. Wood. And until such as they wake to the hoax perpetrated upon them it would be utterly useless and entirely undiplomatic for us to raise a hue and cry about the duplicity resulting in the destruction of the U.F.A. political association, since they would simply "consider the source," as it were.

But our local is decidedly up in arms over the destruction of the political association. In fact, several of the members have taken it a great deal harder than "Tony" McPherson himself. Not that their indignation has made them any the less loyal to the tenants of their organization. If anything, their disappointment has accentuated their loyalty. But they realize the set-back their own organization has received and are simply deploring their inability to remedy the situation.

Messrs. E. J. Charters and J. B. Munson have no hesitation in openly and forcefully arraigning President Wood on a charge of deliberately wrecking the political association by virtue of his desire to remain the "supreme cheese," while Larry Dawson, although he is of the same opinion, cautiously advises putting the damper on what other districts are pleased to call our "insurgent" tendencies.

No doubt the whole matter will come to a head, and we anticipate a lively time when President Wood addresses the local, if he comes to the village as is anticipated, on the 25th of this month.

Ice Carnival

Thursday evening an ice carnival was held under the auspices of the Vulcan band and quite a number of masked skaters turned out, but the cold weather thwarted the expectation of the committee in the matter of a large crowd based on the fact that this was the first carnival to be held in the village since three years ago. The band rendered several selections in the shelter of the rest room, but even in there it was too cold for them to do their best. Although the skaters had a good time and there were several good costumes presented, the affair was hardly the success it might have been.

Dance Friday Night

The dance in the I.O.O.F. Hall on Friday night brought out a good crowd as usual, which was augmented by a number of Champion folk who came up with the intention of skating until ten o'clock. As the ice was not in condition the skaters were disappointed. However, they transferred their energies to the dancing floor and perhaps had as much fun as they expected. Through the unfortunate death of his father-in-law, Mr. Bickford, Mr. Torgerson was unable to be present, and Dewy Doane very creditably filled the official announcer's absence and did himself proud.

Last week in the Flexo advertisement of McIntyre & Company we perhaps created the impression that Flexo is a fluid filler. Flexo is not a fluid, but a resilient composition prepared scientifically. Neither does it contain rubber. It is guaranteed to carry your car 50,000 miles without the nuisance of blow-outs and punctures, and the only reason it is not guaranteed for 100,000 is because people would not believe it. It's a money saver. Better investigate.

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A. R. GANOE, Managing Editor

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General Commercial Printing

WORLD RUIN IN TREATY DELAY

Isaac F. Marcossion, who has lately returned from Germany, has made seven trips to Europe since 1915. He visited every neutral and warring country and has interviewed every outstanding allied soldier and statesman and most of the German leaders. In an article published in the New York Times of January 4, he has given the people of America something they all should read, for his opportunities for observation have been unusual. Unfortunately, we cannot give space to his article in full, but we'll quote a few paragraphs:

"During the war we imprisoned men for slacking in the face of imperative national service. Some were foolish zealots, others ignorant deluded persons of foreign birth, or antecedents. Then we faced a crisis in world affairs that taxed the resources of civilization. Today, and with the war ended we are confronted with another international crisis, bloodless, but less acute. Again we have the spectacle of selfish slacking, but this time we are powerless, for the moment to punish. The obstructors of the Peace Treaty in the U. S. Senate are in their way, no less culpable than those begot and misguided disloyalists who blocked our war effort. They are doing their utmost to impair the fruits of a costly victory. The present unrest throughout the world is partly due to the flat refusal of the United States Senate to ratify the treaty and clear the decks for a real stabilization. The high cost of living pales along the high cost of senatorial slacking as the speeder-up of discontent and disintegration. Every day's delay in the ratification of the treaty makes the President's position stronger and convinces the most casual onlooker that narrow partisanship and not statesmanship is blocking the way to world solvency and sanity. The menace of revolution has not vanished from Germany. A red Germany would mean an alliance with red Russia, and that in turn means a whole new world war against anarchy. And the world is sick of war. The whole tiresome and truculent fight over the treaty, and our failure to act promptly, has set us back in international affairs immeasurably. Backsliding at a time when our co-operation is vitally needed has had the effect of bringing the whole American people into disrepute abroad. We are looked upon as political tricksters and lukewarm idealists who literally got 'cold feet' when the test of stamina came. It is no longer a question of who won the war? The pertinent query is who is to establish peace? America is inseparably bound up in the fabric of international affairs. Our stake abroad is so immense that we cannot afford to be an inert bystander. Anarchy across the ocean would seriously affect our industry and our commerce. The fight against the treaty is shortsighted and it needs no explanation. Those senators who have vented their personal animosity against President Wilson will find that public opinion will condemn the enemies of the treaty in a very bitter manner. When the blood of Britain and France was being spilled from Gallipoli to the Somme, and America stood aloof, Theodore Roosevelt made a characteristic enigma that fitted the time. He said: 'If America ever goes into the war she will back in.' We did not exactly 'back' in, for we entered with head erect and flags flying. Our troops registered an imperishable heroism. Nations, big and little, looked to us for counsel and encouragement. Never was there a more dazzling opportunity for far-flung and commanding authority. But we fumbled with peace, and betrayed civilization in another critical hour when it needs our support and assurance, all because a few wilful men could not see above their own small stature."

The Ontario house will meet on March 9 when the by-elections will be over.

The Canadian dollar was forced down to 68.25 cents recently and we are told the situation is causing anxiety. It is the duty of every Canadian to stop buying American goods until the exchange rate moderates.

LONG LIST OF LABOR REQUESTS

The provincial labor leaders have presented a full list of requests to the Alberta cabinet and a sympathetic hearing was granted, although many requests will not be considered. Here are some of the requests:

"Not more than forty-four hours of work in a week for any workers in Alberta, on a basis of eight hours a day for five days, a weekly half holiday and one day's full rest in seven."

"All printing and bookbinding for the government and municipal school boards should be executed within the home field, thus limiting all municipal boards to the facilities and resources of their local print shops."

"An increase of one hundred per cent in Workmen's Compensation Act in scale of indemnities paid, the board to administer the medical aid plan. The medical fees now being paid by workers to be pooled."

"A new provincial election act which will provide for the proportional representation system of voting together with the abolition of election deposits is asked for."

"An act is proposed to make it unlawful for any barber in Alberta to follow that trade unless he is licensed and certified. A commission board will be entrusted with examination of applicants and all barber shops will be inspected. Proper safety and health measures will be provided for all such shops and the examination will be both oral and written."

"A minimum wage of \$1.200 per year for school teachers; continuation classes for those who leave school at an early age; compulsory attendance for all children under 18 years of age; the provision by the government of all school supplies free of charge; a system of free medical, dental, dental and optical treatment to all school children; and the appointment of a commission to collect data on the printing of school text books, with a view to determining the feasibility of the government printing all such texts required within the province."

FREE TRADE AND H. C. L.

According to a recent Associated Press dispatch from The Hague, "workmen's organizations, which have been permitted to buy American shoes collectively in an effort to reduce the high cost of living, reported them to be of excellent quality. The prices of imported shoes have been fixed by the municipalities at an average of 11 half florins, approximately 40 per cent below the previously prevailing prices of the same quality of Dutch shoes." In other words, American shoes "of excellent quality" are being sold in Holland at \$2.25 a pair. Free trade in shoes would enable us to buy American shoes on as favorable terms as the Dutch and help materially to reduce the high cost of living.

A LARGE UNDERTAKING

Last year there were only 300,000 head of cattle dipped in the mange area, and it is expected that over two million head will be dipped between now and June 15, 1920. This is in accordance with a desire of all farmers and stockmen to endeavor to eradicate the disease completely by having all stock within the mange area treated. The mange area covers from the International boundary south, to Swift Current on the east, and Bowden on the north, and along the fifth meridian on the west. To carry out this work it will require untiring energy on the part of officials of the veterinary department as well as the hearty co-operation of all stock owners.

ALBERTA EXPORTS ARE LARGE

A large shipment of beef was made from Alberta to Greece last week.

Exports from Central Alberta to the United States, composed chiefly of grain and cattle are increasing steadily, according to figures issued by Samuel Reat, United States consul in Calgary. During 1919, this consular value of \$10,994,387, or about \$4,000,000 more than in 1918, and practically double the exports of 1917. Proportionate increases, it is estimated, were made by the rest of the province, although returns have not been received from United States consular agencies at Lethbridge and Edmonton.

The exports in the last three years from Central Alberta follow:

1919	\$10,994,387
1918	6,772,294
1917	6,693,438

At a Chicago theatre the manager recently said that the women smokers compelled him to open a smoking room for women. The girls smoked in the washroom and even in the lobby and smoked more than the men. It looks as if the men will have to put the ban on the weed.

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Executive Committee: Messdames Martin, Moss, Miss Cole, R. J. Adams, E. J. Charters, C. M. Gardner, J. T. M. Hughes, A. Kittle, J. G. Rowe, A. H. Tharle, N. Young.
Judges: P. J. Timms, Calgary; G. M. Cormie, Edmonton;
Secretary-Treasurer J. A. Lindsay

RULES AND REGULATIONS

All entries must reach the Secretary on or before 6 p.m. of the 9th of February and must be on blanks provided by the Secretary. No entry fee in any class for members of the Association, entry fee for non-members \$1.00. All exhibits must be in place not later than 12 p.m. on the day of the Show.

No birds permitted to be taken from the show room before 9 p.m. of the day of the show. All exhibits must be the bona fide property of the Exhibitor.

Birds shown in individual classes will not be allowed to be shown in pen classes. Exhibition coops will be provided at a rental of 25c each if application is made to the Secretary before 6 p.m. of Friday, February 6th.

The Judges will award a prize only when merited. Exhibitors agree to abide by the rules of the show.

Notice—Strict attention to the above rules will save unnecessary trouble as they will be strictly enforced.

If for any reason there is a shortage of funds prizes will be paid pro-rata.

POULTRY

Single Birds.

Section 1 Best Cock; section 2 Best Hen; section 3 Best Cockerel; section 4 Best Pullet. 3 prizes in each section—1st \$1.50; 2nd \$1.00; 3rd 50c

CLASS

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| 1 Plymouth Rocks, barred | 11 Cornish |
| 2 Plymouth Rocks, white | 12 Java |
| 3 Plymouth Rocks, a.o.v. | 13 Minorca |
| 4 Rhode Island Reds | 14 Ancona |
| 5 Wyandottes, laced | 15 Leghorns, white |
| 6 Wyandottes, white | 16 Leghorns, brown |
| 7 Wyandottes, a.o.v. | 17 Leghorns, a.o.v. |
| 8 Orpingtons, buff | 18 Hamburg |
| 9 Orpingtons, white | 19 Campine |
| 10 Orpingtons, a.o.v. | 20 Laying Hens |

PENS

To consist of 1 male and 3 females. 1st prize \$4.00; 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00

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|---------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 21 Plymouth Rocks, barred | 24 Orpingtons |
| 22 Rhode Island Reds | 25 Leghorns |
| 23 Wyandottes | |
| 26 Laying Hens (5) | 1st \$5.00; 2nd \$4.00; 3rd \$3.00 |

PAIRS

1st Prize \$1.50; 2nd \$1.00; 3rd 50c

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| 27 Bantams | 28 Pigeons |
| Guineas and Ducks per pair—1st Prize \$2.00 2nd \$1.50 3rd \$1.00 | |
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| 30 Pekin | 32 a.o.v. |

Turkeys and Geese, per pair—1st Prize \$2.50; 2nd \$2.00; 3rd \$1.50

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| 33 Bronze Turkeys | 36 Toulouse Geese |
| 34 White Turkeys | 37 Embury Geese |
| 35 a.o.v. | 38 a.o.v. |

Dressed Poultry, per pair—1st Prize \$1.50; 2nd \$1.25; 3rd \$1.00

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| 39 Roasters | 40 Ducks |
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EGGS

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| 41 Special—1st Prize \$1.50; 2nd \$1.25; 3rd \$1.00 |
| 42 Extra—1st Prize \$1.25; 2nd \$1.00; 3rd 75c |
| 43 No. 1—1st Prize \$1.00; 2nd 75c; 3rd 50c |

PETS

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| 44 Cats. 1st Prize \$1.00; 2nd 75c; 3rd 50c |
| 45 Rabbits, pair. 1st Prize \$1.25; 2nd \$1.00; 3rd 75c |

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Challenge trophies to be held for one year, if won three times by any one exhibitor, to become his or her property. Best bird in the show. Challenge Cup, donor, H. C. Jacques.

Six Photos of winning bird, donor W. J. Morton. Best Display in the show. Challenge Shield, donor, J. A. Lindsay.

Second Best Display, Cash \$5.00, donor Dr. H. P. Barker. Displays shall consist of 8 birds or more and must include one pen and 1 entry from each section of the class exhibited. Prizes will be awarded on merit only.

Best pen of Rhode Island Reds, 1 gallon "Silkstone," donors, G. F. Stephens & Co., per J. Wolfe.

Best pen of Plymouth Rocks, 50 lbs. "Ideal Poultry Food" donors, P. Burns & Co., Ltd. per W. D. Allan.

Best pen of Wyandottes, 50 lbs. "Ideal Poultry Food," donors, P. Burns & Co., Ltd., per W. D. Allan.

Best pen of Orpingtons, 50 lbs. "Laymore Poultry Food," donors, Swift Canadian Co., Ltd., per W. D. Allan.

Best pen of Leghorns, 4 gallons can of "Royalite," coal oil, donors, Imperial Oil Co., Ltd.

Best laying pen, 50 lbs. "Royal Household Flour," donors, The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd., per Vulcan Co-Operative Co., Ltd.

The following Specials have been donated by The Pratt Food Co., Ltd., per Errett King—Best S.C. White Leghorn, cock, one 60c package of Roup Tablets; best S.C. White Leghorn Pullet, one 60c package Poultry Regulator; best S.C. White Leghorn, hen, one 60c package Lice Killer; best S.C. White Leghorn cockerel, one quart Poultry Disinfectant; best Barred Rock cock, one 60c package Roup Tablets; best Barred Rock hen, one 60c package Poultry Regulator; best Barred Rock Pullet, one 60c package Lice Killer; best Barred Rock cockerel, one quart Poultry Disinfectant; Best White Wyandotte hen, one 60c package Roup Tablets; Best White Wyandotte pullet, one 60c package Poultry Regulator; Best White Wyandotte cock, one 60c package Lice Killer; Best White Wyandotte cockerel, one quart Poultry Disinfectant.

The International Stock Food Co., Ltd., of Toronto, per Errett King, donates one 60c package International Stock Food Tonic and one 35c package Powdered Louse Killer to the 2nd best pen in classes 21 to 25 inclusive, and one 60c package International Stock Food Tonic and one 35c package Louse Killer to the 2nd best Rhode Island Red Cock.

Canadian Bank of Commerce donates \$1.50 for best Plymouth Rock cock and \$1.00 for best Orpington hen.

G. C. Collier donates oiling one set of harness, value \$1.50 for best Orpington cock and one for best Leghorn hen.

City Laundry donates laundry work to the value of \$1.00 for 2nd best Orpington cock.

D. L. Doane donates \$1.00 for 2nd best Orpington pullet.

W. H. McCutcheon donates 3 hair cuts, value \$1.50, for best Leghorn cockerel.

Campbell, Wilson & Horne, Ltd., per Geo. Eamorr, donate 1 package "Royal Shield" Tea, value \$2.00, for 3rd best laying pen.

W. Braid & Co., per H. W. Reeves donate 3lbs of "Braid's Best" Coffee, value \$2.25, for best laying hen.

Lake of the Woods Milling Co., per D. A. Berringer, donate 1-4 sack "Five Roses" Flour, value \$1.75, for second best laying hen.

C. E. Colwell donates \$1.50 for best pair Turkeys.

Western Canada Flour Mills Co., Ltd., per F. L. Simington & Co. donates 20 lbs. "Burity" Rolled Oats, value \$1.75 for best pair of Geese.

Lindsay Hardware Co. donates Enamelled Round Roasting Pan, value \$1.79, for best pair of Ducks.

Bank of Hamilton donates \$1.50 for best Plymouth Rock hen and \$1.00 for best Orpington pullet.

H. W. Noel donates \$1.50 for best Plymouth Rock hen and \$1.00 for best Orpington cockerel.

W. F. Butchart donates 1 chicken drinking font, value \$1.50 for best Plymouth Rock pullet and one for 2nd best Orpington cockerel.

J. M. Scobbie donates harness repairs to the value of \$1.50 for best Rhode Island Red cock.

H. Daines donates shoe repairs to the value of \$1.50 for best Rhode Island Red hen.

Loo Wing donates laundry work to the value of \$1.00 for the best Rhode Island Red cockerel.

R. E. Dodds donates \$1.00 for best Rhode Island Red Pullet and \$1.00 for 2nd best Orpington hen.

D. C. Jones donates \$1.00 for best Wyandotte cockerel and \$1.00 for 2nd best Rhode Island Red hen.

R. L. Elves donates \$1.00 for 2nd best Rhode Island Red cockerel.

E. J. Charters donates \$1.00 for 2nd best Rhode Island Red pullet.

H. J. Maber donates \$1.00 for best Wyandotte cock and \$1.00 for best White Leghorn pullet.

L. H. Stack donates \$1.00 for best Wyandotte hen and \$1.00 for best Leghorn cock.

Shimp Music Store donates 1 harmonica, value \$1.75, for best White Wyandotte pullet and C. B. Shimp Land Co. donates 1 portfolio for "valuable papers," value \$2.50 for 2nd best laying pen.

A BOER ON THE IRISH

To the Editor of the New York Evening Post:

Sir: The Irish outcry against British "oppression" is nothing but rank hypocrisy. The Irish on the whole in the British Empire have been favored more and pampered more than any other class of British subjects. They have a greater say in the house of commons—the supreme legislative assembly of the Empire—than the hundreds of millions of British subjects in Canada, South Africa, Australia, New Zealand and India, and just because they cannot have all the say and "boss" and bully the rest of the Empire they have established an "independent republic" and are flooding the United States and other countries with exaggerated tales of British oppression in Ireland. I would have some sympathy for the Irish if they were discriminated against like Zulus, Hottentots, Indians and other colored people in the British Empire, in the United States, in the Dutch East Indies and other countries ruled by whites. But knowing how well the Irish have been treated, I cannot possibly be worked up to a feeling of sympathy for them even by the most eloquent of Irish spellbinders in the United States. Of course, some Irish rebels against constituted British authority have been severely punished; but their punishment is nothing compared with what it would be if they had been United States citizens and tried to overthrow the authority of Uncle Sam in any territory or state of the American Union.

I belong to a small nation that was truly wronged by the British, but the British leaders have confessed the wrong and are trying to make full reparation, and although I personally have not received a cent compensation from them for the wrong I suffered, I have no hesitation in saying that law abiding white people are not oppressed in the British Empire.

A BOER.

New York, December 13.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

In the whole world there are about 60,000 newspapers.

Citizens should use every energy to the betterment of their town and community, losing sight of their own selfish aims and interests, and looking to the greatest good for the greatest number.

The two-Dot ranch, purchased by George Lane from Messrs. McFarlane and Armstrong, of Nanton, recently, we understand, was purchased for Lord Minto who will establish a purebred stock farm there.

The court in Montreal has rendered a decision of interest everywhere. Because a small boy was allowed to ride on the steps of a milk wagon, the owner is held liable in damages for the death of the lad, which resulted from his falling beneath the wheel's.

E. T. Saunders, one of the oldest residents of Pincher Creek, died recently in California. Deceased has been identified with several newspaper enterprises in Alberta, having established The News at Lethbridge. The Gazette at Macleod, and The Echo at Pincher Creek.

The Ontario government will be asked by the Ontario referendum committee to request the Dominion government to allow the taking of a vote in this province on the question of the importation of liquor into Ontario, the vote to be taken at the earliest possible date, under the terms of the recent Federal legislation thereon.

Farmers in northern Saskatchewan are now using a feed consisting of cut straw and molasses and find that it is the equal of hay, it is said. They are also using beet pulp, obtained from sugar refineries, and gluten, obtained from starch manufacturers. Although the feeds were introduced into Saskatchewan only recently, they have been used in eastern Canada for several years with success, it is said.

In an address to the Rotary Club in Ottawa, Sir Patrick McGrath, of Newfoundland, said that the question of confederation with Canada of the island dominion Newfoundland had been a live issue in the election they had just passed through there. A general election might soon be held in Canada and it was quite within the bounds of possibility that the question may be an issue in that election.

A little flurry of excitement was caused at Claresholm and Granum last week when the provincial police brought a lady from Granum to court on a charge of having one husband too many. It appears that a gentleman in Claresholm married the lady with good intentions. The former husband turned up in Granum the other morning and went to the home of the happy couple for breakfast. The reception accorded to number one was not according to Hoyle, hence the arrest.

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NOTICE

Applications will be received from farmers in Alberta for loans under the Live Stock Encouragement Act for the purchase of cows during the year 1920 up till April 30th this year. It being decided to handle applications coming from many parts of the province at different times of the year, it has been decided to limit the applications to the first four months. Farmers interested will kindly govern themselves accordingly and get all their applications in to the Live Stock Commissioner before April 30th, 1920.

DUNCAN MARSHALL, Minister
S. G. CARLYLE, Live Stock Commissioner.

The Dominion government has decided to take back the striking postal workers whenever positions are vacant.

Premier Drury, of Ontario, will run in Halton County, and Hon. Mr. Doherty, minister of agriculture, will contest East Kent.

The silver content of Canadian silver coins has been reduced from 925 to 800 parts in 1000.

Eight Methodist conferences in the United States have agreed to pay ministers a minimum salary of \$1500.

The Jewish population of the world is 15,430,000, of which 300,000 are in the British Isles.

The new Canadian one cent coin, which is to be issued shortly, will be smaller than the one now in use, and about the size of the American cent.

The J. H. Ashdown hardware firm of Winnipeg are to open up a large warehouse in Edmonton this year, to be followed later by a retail store. Sites have been purchased for these in the business sections of the capital.

Last year was the third greatest for building in Chicago's history with permits issued for 6,523 structures to cost \$102,906,150.

Kentucky oil fields have reached a capacity of 7,500,000 barrels, valued at \$20,000,000, in the last half century's development.

Victoria, Australia, is establishing state sawmills in order to stop profiteering in timber.

There is a movement in the province for the establishment of a reformatory in Alberta. At the present time it costs the Alberta government the sum of \$1000 per annum for the upkeep of delinquents from this province sent to the reform institution in Manitoba.

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Public Notice is hereby given that there has been introduced in the council of the Municipal District of Marquis No. 157, a by-law of which the following is a copy. Copies of which may be seen in the following places:

Milo Store and Postoffice; Eastway Store; Queenstown Postoffice; Majorville Postoffice; Reid Hill Store and Post Office; Arrowwood Postoffice; Vulcan Postoffice; Armada Postoffice; Lomond Postoffice; Hearnleigh Post Office; Lake MacGregor Postoffice; Gleichen Postoffice; Office of the Secretary-Treasurer Home of the Reeve; Donald Sinclair, N.W. Quarter 20-18-23-4.

And further that unless within 30 days from the publication of this notice at least ten electors of the Municipality petition the council to submit such by-law to the vote of the resident electors of the Municipality, the council will proceed to pass the same.

The Municipal District of Marquis No. 157.

By-Law No. 17 for the restraining of Animals running at large

A by-law of the Municipal District of Marquis, No. 157, for restraining animals at large.

(1) In this by-law unless the context otherwise requires the term animals mean horses, mules, cattle or sheep.

(2) No horses, cattle, mules or sheep, the property of any person resident or non-resident within the said Municipal District, shall at any time be at large in any part of the Municipal District.

(3) An animal shall be deemed to be at large which is not on the premises of its owner and which is not under control of the owner, either by being securely tethered or in direct or continuous charge of a herder, or by confinement within any building or other enclosure or lawful fence.

(4) Any animal at large contrary to the provisions of this by-law may be impounded in the manner herein provided for.

(5) Pounds shall be established as follows:

1. Poundkeeper Edward Synges, situated on S.W. Quarter 31-17-21-4
2. Poundkeeper J. W. Adam, situated on the S.E. Quarter 24-17-22-4
3. Poundkeeper Roy Allan situated on the N.E. Quarter 13-19-22-4
4. Poundkeeper H. Wilson situated on the N.W. Quarter 9-17-21-4
5. Poundkeeper M. P. Marshall, situated on the S.W. Quarter 4-19-23-4
6. Poundkeeper G. C. House, situated on the S.E. Quarter 32-19-23-4

(6) The following shall be deemed a legal fence within the meaning of this by-law:

Cedar posts two rods apart with dropper between or willow posts one rod apart. Fence to consist of three barbed wires and shall be spaced as follows:

First wire—From the bottom shall not be more than eighteen (18) inches from the ground.

Second wire—from the bottom shall not be more than thirty-two (32) inches from the ground.

Third wire—from the bottom shall not be more than forty-six inches (46) inches from the ground.

(7) The provisions of sections 208 to 215 inclusive of the Municipal Districts Act, shall be deemed to be incorporated in and form a part of this by-law.

(8) The provisions of the Herd Ordinance and the Pound District Ordinance, shall cease to be operative within the said Municipal District on the coming into force of this by-law.

Any person who suffers or permits any animal, which he is entitled to possession of, to be at

large within the said Municipal District, contrary to the provisions hereof, shall be guilty of breach of this by-law, and shall upon summary conviction under Part XV of the Criminal Code, forfeit and pay as a penalty an amount not exceeding one hundred dollars and costs, and in default of payment forthwith after conviction, shall be liable to punishment by imprisonment with or without hard labor for a period not exceeding thirty days unless such fine and costs, including the costs of committal, are sooner paid.

Done and passed in council this _____ day of _____ A.D. 1920.

Reeve

Sec'y.-Treas

STOCK FOR THE E. P. RANCH

The Prince of Wales expects to visit his ranch, west of High River, this fall. This was the statement of his royal highness in England recently to Professor W. L. Carlyle, manager of the George Lane ranch, who is acting as agent and general manager for the prince's new estate. Professor Carlyle returned to Calgary on Wednesday, after completing arrangements on behalf of the prince, for the shipment of 20 selected Dartmoor ponies, about 30 head of purebred Shorthorn cattle, 25 head of purebred Shropshire sheep and six or eight thoroughbred fillies. His royal highness is determined to return to England, after his visit to Australia, by way of Canada if at all possible. "They say it can't be done, but I'm going to do it," he remarked to Prof. Carlyle a few weeks ago.

It is possible that some of the prince's thoroughbreds may be entered for track events in Alberta during the present year. Six or eight young fillies, several of which have won races in the two-year old form in Great Britain this year, will be brought out with the prince's other stock as soon as the embargo against importations from England is raised. The embargo break of foot and mouth disease in the Old Country, but it is hoped that by March it will be possible to ship the stock to Canada. The prince is very anxious, he informed Prof. Carlyle, to establish a thoroughbred farm and a racing stable at Bedingfield. He is keenly interested in this royal sport, and in the breeding of thoroughbreds. Steps to put his plans into effect will be taken at the earliest possible date. In this, and in the breeding of purebred Shorthorns, Shropshire sheep and Dartmoor ponies, the prince will make a magnificent contribution to the development and improvement of these breeds in the Dominion. He is determined to visit his ranch at least every second year.

The 26 or 30 Shorthorns which will comprise his first cattle shipment are from the best Scotch families. Included in the shipment will be a number of young bulls, which will be for sale shortly after arrival. There will be about 20 females, which will all be bred to the prince's famous bull "Christian King," which won the first prize at the royal society's show in England last year and first at the Highland society's show in Scotland.

The cattle, as well as the thoroughbreds, are from the estates of the prince. 26 head of Shropshire ewes are from the flock of the Duke of Westminster, which is the best in the United Kingdom.

The Dartmoor ponies are a breed which is being introduced in Canada by the prince. The Dartmoor is described by Prof. Carlyle as the most promising member of the pony family in England. On the great tableland of Dartmoor, in the Duchy of Cornwall, these ponies are reared, and they are the hardest and the oldest breed in the country, their ancestors having come in, it is supposed, with the original Spanish stock. On the bleak moor, on the edge of the prince's estate, 1500 feet above sea level—higher than any of the mountains of Scotland—the ponies run wild. They stand 12 hands high, and weigh from 600 to 700 pounds, and in the vicinity of Dartmoor are driven in carts. The Prince of Wales has been crossing the Dartmoor pony with his Arab stallion and with thoroughbreds. In Canada it is considered probable that the breed may be developed to stand 14 hands high.

Many of the citizens of Calgary became familiar during the prince's visit last fall, with the signature, "Edward P." The ranch will be known as the "E. P." ranch. His royal highness is desirous that this name should be used, and not "the Prince's ranch," or "Bedingfield," or any other name, in the future. All the royal stock will be branded with the letters "E. P."

The story of the acquirement of the

estate of Bedingfield by the Prince of Wales throws an interesting sidelight on his tastes and character. When, as the guest of George Lane, he was riding with Prof. Carlyle last September, his royal highness, after expressing admiration of the beautiful country in which the Lane ranch is situated, suddenly exclaimed: "There isn't any place that I have seen that reminds me so much of Balmoral."

After he had gone on to the Pacific coast, the prince's secretary wired George Lane asking him to arrange for the purchase of the property. Mr. Lane made the purchase, and continues today to be the honorary financial adviser to his royal highness.

One member of the prince's entourage, in conversation with Prof. Carlyle, shortly after the heir apparent returned from Canada, remarked with much good humor, "You have spoiled the prince. He uses slang and he has lost much dignity as the result of his visit to your country." Prof. Carlyle's retort was that it was a mistake that London should consider the prince to be exclusively theirs. "He belongs quite as much to Canada as he does to you, and he likes our ways of life. We consider the Prince of Wales a Canadian."

IMPROVING THE AIRSHIP

New and startling developments in aviation may be anticipated. Reports from France and America have divulged that experimenters have been working along radical lines in attempts to remove the defects of the aeroplane type as it is known today. The French government announces awards totalling 500,000 francs for machines that will be able to land at low speed, and to land vertically; and simultaneously the Scientific American appears with the completed diagram of a machine that can only rise vertically, which has no wings at all, and whose propeller only revolves at the comparatively slow speed of a hundred revolutions per minute. After the old toy, it is called the Helicopter, and while naturally it will probably not do all that its inventors claim for it, yet the lifting tests to which it has been subject to date are amazing in their efficiency per horsepower. The ability to hover, and to land in limited space, are two of the great lacks of the winged type of machine, and the development of the new type will be followed with interest.

ON IRRIGATED LAND

Eighty-two thousand acres of land that were in crop in 1919, in the Lethbridge irrigation district, operated by the Canadian Pacific Railway, yielded crops to the value of four and a half million dollars. Last season is generally conceded to have been the worst in the history of southern Alberta's farming industry, yet crops that brought an average return of \$54.71 per acre to their growers were produced on the irrigation lands. This figure leans rather towards the conservative side. Many instances are quoted of crops of potatoes and vegetables being harvested that have realized as high as \$750 an acre, of alfalfa fields producing crops this season that have been sold at prices which mean returns of \$125 and more an acre, and of wheat yields worth \$105 an acre, and the season has been by no means as favorable as it might have been.

AUTOMOBILE LICENSES

A revenue of approximately \$600,000 from the 1919 automobile licenses issued by the provincial secretary's department will be shown in the annual report now being compiled. The licenses numbered about 35,000, of which 3,000 represented Fords, but the balance the high priced makes of motor cars.

For the present year it is expected that the automobile census of Alberta will run up to 40,000 and preparations are being made accordingly. The new stock of license plates is on the way and will be ready for issuing to applicants in the course of a few days.

There has been an increase in the number of automobiles for several years past, at the rate of about 5,000 per year. In 1918 the licenses issued were 29,250 and in 1917 they were 29,624 or little more than half of what the present year's figures are expected to be. The year that brought the outbreak of war could boast of only 4,728 motor cars in Alberta, and from what a small beginning the business has grown may be seen from the records for 1910 when 423 licenses were issued.

In the report sent the department of agriculture for the town of Nanton for the quarter ending December 31, 1919, it was the first time in the history of the town that a burial was not recorded.

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THEY MELTED GOLD

Six influential merchants in London were recently arraigned in the courts on a charge of melting and breaking up gold coin. Thousands of pounds sterling has recently been withdrawn from the Bank of England for illegal purposes. Gold is now worth \$5 11s per ounce, which is in excess of the face value of a sovereign.

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OUR NATIONAL ECONOMIC PROBLEM.

The following interesting extract from an article by Mr. E. W. Beatty, president of the C. P. R., appeared recently in the Montreal Gazette:—

"So much for the manner in which the transportation machinery of the country is carrying out its obligations to the Canadian producer. Other aspects of the transportation problem are less satisfactory. There are many people who look upon Canadian Railways as custodians of magic fortunes which cannot be exhausted. That bookkeeping should be as simple and inexorable in the tale of losses and vanished profits to a railway as it may be to a corner grocer, is to these people unthinkable. It apparently does not occur to them that to no public is it more important than to the Canadian public that the good reputation of the railway securities in the world of thrift and investment should be carefully guarded. To those, however, who understand these things clearly and who view the matter from the standpoint of broad public interest, it is at once apparent that the Canadian public pays a very low rate for the quality of service rendered, and that a time is rapidly approaching when, if Canadian railway securities are not to be made less desirable to investors than almost any other kind of industrial security, railway rates will either have to go up, or railway operating costs go down. Such persons recognize that it is not because the situation of the railways is an easy one that certain companies have been able to show net earnings—very low net earnings compared to the actual cash invested in the industry—but because in the past the shareholders of such companies have been, as they are to-day, courageous persons willing to supply the means for constructive enterprises in which no one but themselves had faith, and because, too, their officers have been skilled, resourceful and loyal business men, assisted by staffs filled with the spirit of pride and devotion to their work. This, indeed, is the thing which has made it possible for Canada's railroads to function successfully during the war without making anything like the demands that foreign roads—less efficient in serving their community, yet earning the same rates and paying the same wages—have made upon their public exchequers. I do not believe that this strain upon the railways and this tendency to weaken the general reputation of Canadian Railway securities should continue. The servant, after all, is worthy of his hire, and railway capital is not less worthy a servant than other forms of capital whose earnings have not been so consistently depressed.

"The net earnings during the war years, of those companies which showed net earnings, would have been much lower had the Canadian railroads been making expenditures for maintenance which circumstances would have justified, but which conditions prevented during that period. These arrears have now to be made up. During 1913 the Canadian Pacific laid 70,000 tons of steel rail. In place of, say, 2,000,000 tons, worth 44c in 1914, the Canadian Pacific laid 4,434,000 tons at 55c per ton. The sensational advance in the rate of railway wages is well known. Further advance may be necessary within the very near future, as indicated by discussions in the United States. The price of coal for locomotives was \$2.09 in 1913. Now it is \$4.77. The cost of hauling an average train (freight or passenger) one mile has risen from \$1.664 in 1913 to \$2.494 in 1918. It is higher to-day. The operating expenses of one mile of line in 1915 were \$4.152, in 1918, \$7.046, and to-day they are even greater. On the other hand, railway rates, taking all classes of revenue together, have advanced scarcely 25 per cent. I venture to say no other industry in the Dominion can show such moderation."

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OF INTEREST TO STOCKMEN

In the Supreme Court of Alberta, the Honorable Mr. Justice Walsh recently gave an important decision which will be of much interest to those ranchers who graze stock on the forest reserves. The Department of the Interior, through the local forestry branch officials, sued John S. Nelson of Meadow Creek, for the penalty provided by Section 55 of the Regulations of Dominion Forest Reserves. This section states that the owner of stock, grazing on a forest reserve without a permit, shall be liable to at least four times the regulation rate of dues unless it can be established that the trespass was made without wilful intent, in which case at least double dues shall be charged. The defendant denied that his stock grazed on the forest reserve, but so much evidence was produced by the department to establish the trespass that counsel for the defense relied chiefly upon immunity under the Alberta Fence Ordinance. This ordinance states that no action for damages caused by domestic animals can be maintained unless the property is surrounded by a lawful fence. The forest reserves are not fenced. Mr. Chas. F. Adams, K.C., of Calgary, who appeared for the Department of the Interior, argued that this section of the fence ordinance does not apply to Dominion lands within the province and further pointed out that the department was not bringing an action for damages, but that it was suing for a penalty provided by government regulations. Mr. Justice Walsh agreed with both these contentions and gave judgment for the Department of the Interior, stating that in his opinion the fence ordinance does not apply to the forest reserves. The ordinance, he pointed out, was intended to govern the conduct of individuals between themselves with respect to their property, and does not apply to the crown. Judgment was given against Mr. Nelson for \$595 and costs which were particularly heavy, the witness fees alone amounting to almost \$400.

WILL DON NIFTY UNIFORMS

The A.P.P. will soon be equipped with new, neat and natty uniforms to take the place of the present ones. The new outfit will be of blue cloth with yellow stripes down the sides of the trousers. In place of the red and black chevrons of the non-commissioned officers, gold chevrons, betokening their rank, will be substituted. Instead of numbers as at present, collar buttons will be used. These will take the form of the Alberta coat-of-arms in a maple wreath. The letters A.P.P. in silver will be retained as shoulder badges. In addition to the peak caps now used, the police will wear Stetsons and black pea jackets in place of the long tunics now being worn. There will be patrol uniform of khaki, with riding breeches with yellow stripes running down the sides. The uniform will be worn with brown leggings, brown boots and spurs. Black plain laced boots will be worn with the blue uniforms. Altogether the new uniforms will add to the smartness of the corps and will be a distinct improvement to the present ones.

VALUE OF EXPORT CATTLE

The following table shows the number and value of cattle exported from Central Alberta to the United States, through the United States consulate, Calgary, in the last three years:

	Number	Invoice of Cattle	Value
1919	883,943		\$7,954,027
1918	30,379		3,856,131
1917	19,341		2,208,569

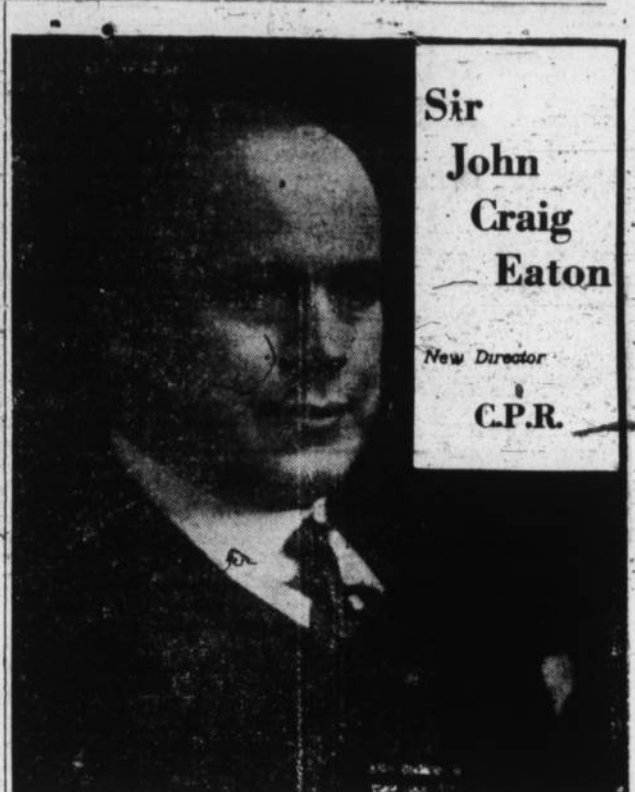
SECURE SEED SUPPLIES

Now is the time for farmers to secure their seed grain. No doubt there are a number of farmers who have kept their seed grain over from other years, and this is the time to dispose of it at advanced prices. It is not too early to give attention to this matter. If you have seed for sale, advertise in The Times, and if you are on the lookout for seed grain, read our advertising columns containing seed grain advertisements.

HOGS MAKE BIG TOTAL

During the year ended December 31, 1919, the cash sales of hogs marketed at six Canadian Stock Yards reached a total exceeding \$26,000,000. This amount of money does not include the value of hogs shipped direct to packing plants and passing through the yards. It is estimated that the cash value of the hogs sold off the farm during 1919 exceeded \$80,000,000.

One person in fifty is a twin; one in 5,000 is a triplet.



Honorary Colonel Sir John Craig Eaton, K.M., whose appointment to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's directorate has been just announced, is best known to the mass of the American public as president and dominant personality of the T. Eaton Co. Ltd. of Toronto and Winnipeg, the largest departmental institution of the Dominion, for which his father, the late Timothy Eaton, fifty years ago laid the foundation. In official circles Sir John is even better known as probably the foremost Canadian in civilian co-operation with the forces of government during the war period. And in the realm of trade he leads as an exponent of scientific organization, while at the same time recognizing the human equation in the labor factor.

Sir John was born in Toronto April 28, 1876, receiving his education in the public schools of his native city and Upper Canada College. He began his commercial career with his father's growing establishment, the business of which has more than doubled in volume under his administration, his individual foresight leading to the opening of the Western House at Winnipeg in 1905, and the Moncton, N.B., outpost this past season. In addition to being president of the T. Eaton Co., he is director of the Dominion Bank, the Canadian National Exhibition Association, and Wellesley Hospital; a member of the Senate of Victoria College, Toronto; an honorary governor, trustee and member of the Finance Committee of the Toronto General Hospital; a member of the Toronto Board of Trade and of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association; also one of Canada's best known clubmen and sportsmen, with yachting, fishing and motoring as his favorite forms of recreation. Political honors, though proffered like Caesar's crown, he has time again refused.

Knighted June 3, 1915, he was incidentally the recipient on Sept. 19th, 1917 of the special decoration of the Navy League, this being an exceptional honor conferred on but twenty-eight persons in all the Empire within the past twenty years. In partial explanation it will be remembered that early in the war Sir John turned over to the Admiralty his fine private yacht, the Florence, which served on the Atlantic Coast patrol under the ensign until no longer required, in the late autumn of 1916. During the war period he also organized, equipped and sent overseas the Eaton Machine gun batteries; while over \$1,000,000 of his private fortune was expended in the maintenance of dependents of Eatonians at the front, the weekly payroll exceeding \$10,000. Two thousand six hundred and eighty-two voluntary recruits went from the T. Eaton Co.'s establishments to the war—a man-power little short of three complete battalions—this splendid body representing 39.25 per cent of the company's male employees. And while the men were fighting for flag and freedom, Sir John provided liberally for their families at home, this wage roll of patriotism exceeding \$2,000,000 in the ultimate total.

The inclusion of Sir John Eaton on the Canadian Pacific directorate gives that pioneer national transcontinental road not only another experienced business general capable of and accustomed to thinking and acting in large proportions. It also gives it a man who perhaps more than any other in the Dominion believes in the application of the Golden Rule to everyday affairs and has proven recognition of the human equation to be successful policy, in the operation of his own large concerns.

HORSES SOLD WELL

During the past week there was considerable activity in the horse market at Calgary when \$100,000 worth was sold. The horses belonging to the Beddingford ranch, consisting of registered Clydesdale stallions and mares, and a bunch of very fine grades of all ages created much interest, and we learn that the total sale from this bunch will be about \$50,000 which includes everything down to the yearlings.

Horsemen generally expressed the opinion that the grades were as nice a bunch as one could find anywhere in the west, in fact, one man from Saskatchewan said he was sure there could not be as nice a lot picked up anywhere. They did not have remarkable size, but they were solid, rugged-looking animals, with enough size to show that there was substance and lots of action due to their ranch breeding.

Most of the horses were half-broke, but that was all that was guaranteed, but from all appearances they were of the class that would develop into fine serviceable stock. Most of the horses were sold by the load, on which the following were some of the prices paid per head:

Mares, \$115 each, \$117, \$157, \$161, \$128. Yearlings by the load brought \$58, \$51, and \$71 each. One very nice load of two-year olds brought \$125 each. Geldings by the load sold at \$135, \$139, and \$135.50.

PLAY SAFE

The money value of a man includes the cost of his upkeep and education from his birth till he becomes self-supporting. He then becomes an asset instead of a liability.

This demonstrates the economic loss to the community when, through an accident, he is incapacitated and unable to carry on his work. All the cost of bringing him to the earning stage is wasted, and he again becomes a burden on society.

U. F. A. OFFICERS FOR COMING YEAR

Following officers were elected by the U.F.A. delegates to their convention in Calgary this week:

President: H. W. Wood, Carstairs. Executive: H. W. Wood, P. Baker, Ponoka; W. D. Trego, Gleichen; H. Greenfield, Westlock (re-elected); Mrs. Sears, Nanton (ex-officio as president of U.F.W.A.).

Directors: H. E. Spencer, Edgerton; G. A. Forster, Natchy; C. H. Harris, Oyen; F. W. Smith, Sedgewick; Lawrence Peterson, Barnwell; A. Rafn, Bon Accord; W. F. Bredin; S. S. Sears, Nanton (new); L. M. Farquhar, Calgary, (new); Rice Shepard, Strathcona (member last year's executive).

RELIEF FOR SOLDIERS

The Federal government has placed the sum of \$40,000,000 at the disposal of the Patriotic Fund organization for the purpose of relieving distress among the unemployed returned soldiers. The scale of relief given is as follows: single men out of work or only partially employed will receive relief up to the rate of \$50 per month; married men without children, up to the rate of \$75 per month; married men with children, up to the rate of \$100 per month. This relief also applies to those men who have taken up land under the Soldiers' Settlement Act, and whose crops were poor during the past year. Men requiring relief, if farming, will apply at the offices of the Soldiers' Civil Re-Establishment, Calgary. Other classes will apply for relief at the Alberta Government Labor Bureau, Calgary.

A member of the Manitoba legislature, now in session, traced the farmers' political movement. The movement, he declared, was aimed at more democratic choice of federal representatives and to free the country from clique control and machine elections.

Vulcan Wholesale Grocery Saturday Specials

Royal Special Coffee, regular	80c
lb. for	70c
Tea, regular 80c. lb.	70c
Bacon and Ham, per lb.	45c
Baking Powder, 3 lb. tins	70c
Rolled Oats, 20 lb. sack	\$1.35
Flour, "Our Best," per 98 lb. sack	\$6.75
Jams, 4 lb. tins	80c
Mincemeat, per lb.	20c
Fresh Herring, 100 lbs.	\$5.00

Second Hand 4 h.p. Cushman Gas Engine, first class shape

\$70.00

Vulcan Wholesale Grocery
W. L. BUCHER, Manager

Home Made Sausage

Fresh twice weekly. Made with a flavor that reminds you of the good old days. Old Country Seasoning 2 lbs. for

55c

Brookfield Brand Pork Sausage, box

40c

Dill Pickles

We have sold a lot of Dill Pickles but still have a good Supply at per dozen

25c

WM. DYCE ALLAN
4X MARKET VULCAN

"When Quality Counts We Win."

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PHONE 25

Ladies' Black Kid Shoes

Lace and Button High Cut Shoes at less than to-day's Wholesale Prices.

Special Price \$7.50 Per Pair

We still have a few 1920 Calendars left. Have you one yet? If not ask for one.

Stock Taking This Week

Several thousand dollars worth of new goods to be opened up next week.

Silks,
Prints,
Linens,
Ginghams,
Wash Goods,
Dress Goods, etc.

WATCH for this space next and every week.

BUCK & HOWSON

The Dry Goods & Men's Wear Store

HE'S NOW AN ARISTOCRAT

The plebeian muskrat is coming into its own. Before the war, rat skins could be obtained from trappers at from 20 to 30 cents each, while today they are selling from \$3.25 to \$4.50 each. Muskrat when plucked and dyed, become Hudson seal. The demand is very heavy for this fur, and as a result this fur-bearing rat is being exterminated. In Ontario the rat can only be trapped in the spring when the fur is at its best. Hudson seal coats sold in 1915 for \$100, whereas today the price is from \$400 to \$450 and in 1920 it will go up to \$600 to \$650.

DOES IT MEAN YOU?

All ex-members of the 137th Battalion are requested to make every possible effort to be present at Paget Hall, Calgary, on February 10, 1920, at 8 p.m. and renew old acquaintances with the aid of a smoker. It is now some time since the members of the above organization have been together and the committee would like to see a good gathering as a certain amount of business relative to the organization of a proper club will be on the programme along with a good musical evening. There will be plenty to smoke and drink, so a good time is promised. Don't forget February 10.

NO ONE TO BLAME

At the inquest into the deaths of eight persons in the recent C.P.R. wreck at North Bay, the jury found no one was to blame. It was recommended that the C.P.R. hereafter run their trains on the block system; that is, that the trainmen of each following train, before leaving a station at which a telegraph operator is employed, shall have the assurance that the preceding train has left the station next farther on.

FOR FIGHTING FIRE

The extent of any fire in a community depends in large measure upon the promptness with which fire extinguishing appliances are brought into operation, and in this connection we would suggest that in every home and in every office there should be small fire extinguishers. One minute after a fire has broken out a pall of water is usually sufficient to subdue the fire and with three minutes' start a fire extinguisher will do the work while with ten minutes' uninterrupted start a fire can gain such control that it cannot be controlled with a quarter of a million dollar fire-fighting apparatus.

During the cold weather the Medicine Hat school board decided that milk, sugar and oatmeal be provided at one of the schools so from fifty to sixty children of that school who have lunch there at noon may be given a hot cup of food each to supplement their lunches.

PROVINCIAL NEWS ITEMS

A junior branch of the U.F.A. was recently formed in Nanton.

Alberta seed wheat is being sent over to Montana in large quantities.

The dove of peace must be a blue bird—a very blue bird—American paper.

A flow of oil and gas was recently discovered on a farm near McLeod, Ontario.

The horse market was quiet last week, heavy horses ranging from \$225 to \$250 each.

Hogs opened last week in Calgary at \$18.50 and on Friday prices were as high as \$19.75.

Mr. J. A. Hammer, an old timer of Cardston, was married recently to Mrs. Knowlton, of Utah.

Farmers are advised to hold their participation certificates, for it is better to look like \$5 wheat.

A farmer near Rimbey, Alberta, is selling a new variety of wheat grown on his farm, at \$10 per bushel.

Seven hundred acres of irrigated land near Lethbridge was leased recently to a Hindu Colony for \$12 per acre.

Eight Mennonites near Swift Current were fined \$10 and costs each for failure to send their children to the school.

The C.P.R. announced last week they will not purchase the E.D. and B.C. railway up in the Peace River country.

Potatoes were selling at Calgary last week at \$55 to \$60 per ton, an advance of \$5.00 over that of the week previous.

The proprietor of the Pincher Creek Echo, Mr. St. Saunders, and the editor of that paper, Mr. Derrett, died last week.

The sum of \$700 was taken in fine at Lethbridge the other day as the result of the discovery of an illicit still by the authorities.

There were 2,332,420 head of hogs, 10,081 head of sheep and 945,817 head of cattle slaughtered in Canada during the year 1919.

A shipment of beef cattle was made from Edmonton last week to Italy. The steers averaged 1,530 and the cows 1,320 pounds each.

A shipment of cattle was made to the United States in 1919 by a well-known firm in Alberta, consisting of 1,060 head, which was valued at \$127,000.

Seven hundred barrels of old Kentucky whisky, which had been loaded in a barge, was lost when the barge sprung a leak and sank. The money value of the spirits is figured at \$350,000. The whisky, which was being taken out of the States in compliance with the prohibition law, went down just outside of New York harbor on Friday of last week. Friday this time is indeed a Jonah day.

Important Notice
To Farmers of Southern Alberta

Owing to unfavorable weather conditions of last year, it is advisable that farmers should have their seed grain tested this spring for germinating vitality. Farmers of Southern Alberta, south of the main line of the C.P.R., wishing to have seed grain tested, are requested to send a small sample to the School of Agriculture, Claresholm, Alberta, in care of the Principal. Each application will receive as prompt attention as possible.

Notice to Creditors and Claimants

In the Estate of WILLIAM MCKENZIE MACPHERSON, late of Vulcan, Alberta, Farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims on the estate of the said William MacKenzie MacPherson, who died on the 10th of October, 1919, are required to file with the undersigned by the 31st of March, 1920, a full statement duly verified, of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Executors of his Will will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have come to their knowledge.

Dated this 10th January, 1920.

HERBERT J. MABER,
Vulcan, Alberta.
Solicitor for the Executors.APPLICATION FOR LEASE OF
ROAD ALLOWANCE OR
SURVEYED HIGHWAY

Notice is hereby given that A. McLeod, of Lake McGregor, has made application to the Minister of Public Works, Edmonton, for a lease of the following road allowance or surveyed highway, viz: road allowance running east and west of the south side of 26-18-22, W. of the 4th Meridian.

Any protest against the granting of the above mentioned lease must be forwarded to the Minister of Public Works, Edmonton, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

DATED at Lake McGregor.

A. McLEOD,
Applicant.

January 12, 1920.

Vulcan Bakery

FRESH BREAD
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Every Day

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VULCAN -- -- ALTA.

There is a big diamond rush in Bechuanaland, Africa, which is wonderfully rich in that ore.

ESTRAY

MARES—Two dark bay mares, one branded "G" on right thigh, wire cut on left side of shoulder and neck the other branded "O3" on left shoulder, weight about 1400 lbs. It is thought these horses joined some drove going north. Apply to C. W. Thompson, Box 30, Grinnell, Alta. Reward.

GELDING—One sorrel gelding, 2 white feet, white face, foretop cut off, no brand, age 3 years, weight 1100.

Mares—Two bay mares, white spot on face, aged about 3 years, weight about 1000, no visible brand.

All the above on section 21-18-24-4.

COW—1 Red Cow, white face, with calf at side, branded "T" on right hip also "T" right ribs.

Steer—One steer, aged 2 years, white face, branded "A" on left ribs.

Gelding—One brown gelding, white spot on face, weight about 1000, branded "P" on right shoulder, broke saddle horse.

Above on section 2 18-23-4

GELDING—1 Grey Gelding age 6 years weight 1150, branded "V" also "V" on left thigh.

Gelding—One sorrel gelding, white strip on face, one white hind foot, age 7 years, branded "P" on left shoulder.

Above on N.W. 12-18-23-4

Heifer—One Red and White heifer, cropped ears, yearling, no visible brand.

Above on S.W. 15-18-23-4

ESTRAY—\$10.00 Reward will be paid for the recovery of cattle branded "DH" on left ribs and horses branded "DH" on left thigh. Mrs. J. H. Chandler, Nanton, Alta.

PIGS—Two pigs, one red, the other white, strayed from S. Henningway's property about 3 weeks ago. Phone 1303, Reid Hill. 3128c

COW—1 Red Cow, Mottle face, short tail, no visible brand, on Section 35 17-25-4.

STEER—One 2 year old black and white Steer, branded "P" on right ribs, on Section 28-19-24 W 4.

MARE—One black or dark iron grey mare, 3 years old, white star on face branded "LV" on right shoulder. Apply H. A. Baden, Hearn, 1000 P.O. Alberta. Suitable reward.

MARES—Two bay mares, branded on left thigh, strip in face weight about 1000, age 3 years on 21-18-24.

STUD—One grey stud, 1 white hind foot 2 years old, branded "M" on right thigh. On S.W. 18-16-25.

WANTED

CATTLE WANTED—About 200 head of two or three-year old steers wanted. Would also consider a mixed lot of cattle. J. Thompson, High River, or Flood, Whitcher & Elves, Vulcan, Alta. 22-47

TEACHER—Teacher wanted for Marshall School District, No. 1608. Apply F. E. Davis, Phone 1309, Vulcan.

SEPARATOR—Wanted a small size cream separator. Also a grain bin or small shack in or near town. Apply P. O. Box 296, Vulcan.

FOR SALE

HAY—55 tons of hay for sale at Buffalo Hills. On stack \$15 per ton. Can feed on place. Will take cash or trade for good horses. Address: F. E. Bell, Vulcan, R. R. No. 2.

COCKRELS—12 Buff Orpington Cockerels to sell at \$2.50 each. Apply at Advocate Office. 3128c

SHED—For sale, 24x20x12 feet, shingle roof, shiplap sides. Price \$125. Apply to C. B. Rebbe, Vulcan.

Holland refuses to give up the Kaiser to the Allies. Well, who cares? Bill is now dragging out a miserable existence and is no doubt insane.

Salmon from British Columbia Fisheries



Unloading Salmon from Stows, Westminster, British Columbia

There are salmon and salmon, but the finest specimens of this sporting fish come from the waters of British Columbia. There is a variety of salmon on the Atlantic coast which is highly prized as a delicacy, but the supply is very limited; the catch on the Pacific coast is about thirty million as large and also very fine in quality.

Salmon canning is one of the principal industries of British Columbia. The Fraser River catch is now looked upon with envy owing to the tremendous decrease of the catch in the State of Washington where the famous variety "Sockeye" once abounded in such enormous quantities.

It is now feared that unless the United States Government prohibit fishing in Puget Sound the salmon industry will suffer.

To date the State of Washington has failed to accede to the Canadian proposals for a joint control of the Puget Sound and Fraser River fisheries, but the Dominion Government is again taking the matter up, proposing a joint protection for fifteen years.

The season for salmon fishing is short, being about 45 days in the Fraser River section and about 62 days, including Sundays, for the northern canners. The British Columbia catch runs about 1,500,000 cases of 48 pounds each a year.

There are five varieties of fishery, averaging 6 months' duration in the latter year. A fish 15 to 20 pounds, sometimes weighing 250 pounds, maturing between the fourth and sixth years. Silver salmon, mature at three years, 5 to 6 pounds. Another two years, and Chum, 10 to 15 pounds, mature at three to six years.

All these fish are caught naturally in streams, and are usually die after spawning. The Fraser River, Naze River, Fraser River and around Vancouver Island. The fish are caught in gill nets and seine and by trolling.